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Responsive to the Final Office Action dated January 12, 2007, please amend the patent application as follows.

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